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MEDICAL INSPECTION.

13. All vessels and passengers are subject to medical inspection on arrival.

PASSENGERS.

14. Passengers, before landing, must declare on oath before a marine police officer that they have not been in or have not communicated with an infected place within the last ten days. Otherwise they shall remain in quarantine till the expiration of ten days from the date of departure.

15. Passengers arriving on board vessels without a clean bill of health, and the officers of such vessels, will be permitted to land after medical inspection, but will not be permitted to land any of their luggage or effects until the same shall have been thoroughly disinfected. This clause does not apply to deck passengers.

16. Passengers arriving from infected places, after ten days from date of departure, will be admitted to free pratique after strict medical inspection and thorough disinfection of their persons, effects, and luggage, if the inspecting medical officer is satisfied that they are in good health; but in the case of vessels carrying a doctor disinfection of the person will not be required.

17. Passengers not otherwise provided for are subjected to the restrictions applicable to the vessels on which they arrive.

18. When twenty days have elapsed from the last case of plague, cholera, or other disease against which restrictions have been in force with regard to a country or place declared to be an infected place, a notice will be issued by the collector of customs to the effect that the place or port is no longer to be dealt with as infected.

N. B.—Vessels passing through the Suez Canal without taking on board either cargo or passengers will not be considered infected by contact with canal pilots taken on board from a disinfecting station or by coaling and provisioning at Port Said, provided that the quarantine restrictions at that port are considered satisfactory by the chief Government medical officer.

The word "passengers" as used in this notice, except in clause 15, includes the officers and crew.

By command.

E. M. MEREWETHER,

Lieutenant-Governor and Chief Secretary to Government.

The PALACE, VALLETTA, May 28, 1903.

MEXICO.

Health at Guaymas—Quarantine against Mazatlan removed.

Consular Agent Crocker reports, June 19, as follows: The health of this port remains good. The quarantine maintained against Mazatlan no longer obtains.

Report from Progreso—Inspection of vessels—Mortality—Yellow fever at Merida.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Harrison reports, June 13 and 20, as follows:

During the week ended June 13, 1903, bills of health were issued, after inspection, as follows:

Date.	Ship.	Nationality.	Destination.	Crew.	Passengers.	Location.	Sanitation.
June 6	Logician	British	New Orleans .	67	0	3 miles out ...	Good.
7	Vigilancia	American	New York	79	^a 48 ^b 46	...do	Do.
8	Bartlett	...do	Ship Island...	9	0	Wharf	Do.
10	Ravensdale ..	British	New York via Campeche.	20	0	...do	Do.
11	Johanns	Norwegian ...	Texas	8	0	3 miles out ...	Do.
12	Texan	British	New Orleans .	43	0	...do	Do.

^a From Progreso.

^b In transit.